

# THE PALATKA NEWS

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\$1. Per Year.

## NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY.



Our mid-summer mark down sale of Light Weight Clothing is a money saver to the people.

No trouble to find a perfect fit. Why not profit by our efforts to break up the regular mid-summer dullness.

Hot weather lasts nine months in the year in Florida and style can't wear out the nobby suits we are offering in two seasons—they are the most conservative we have had—the extremes went a long time ago.

### The Prudent Man Should Take Advantage of this Sale.

The mark down extends through our Hat Department and all summer goods.

## Fearnside & Company.

Palatka, Florida.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 33, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

NE 1/4 of sec 1 and NW 1/4 of sec 1, section 9, township 8, range 26—80 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

Witness my official signature and seal this 27th day of August, A. D. 1902. [Seal] JOSEPH PRICE, Clerk Ct. Ct. of Putnam county, Florida.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 31, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

SE 1/4, section 19, township 8, range 26—160 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Sarah A. Pierce. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

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NE 1/4 of sec 1, NW 1/4 of sec 1, NW 1/4 of sec 1, section 21, township 8, range 26—160 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Peter Price. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

Witness my official signature and seal this 27th day of August, A. D. 1902. [Seal] JOSEPH PRICE, Clerk Circuit Court, Putnam Co., Florida.

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Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 35, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, section 22, township 8, range 26—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Peter Price. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

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The total shipments of lumber from the port of Jacksonville during the month of August was 10,800,000 feet.

Four thousand six hundred head of cattle have been shipped from Charlotte Harbor this season at an average price of \$12.50 per head.

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Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 36, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

W 1/2 of sec 1, section 23, township 8, range 26—80 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

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### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 37, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

N 1/2 of sec 1, NW 1/4 of sec 1, section 24, township 8, range 26—80 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

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NE 1/4 of section 30, township 8, range 26—160 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of A. H. Whitaker. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

Witness my official signature and seal this 27th day of August, A. D. 1902. [Seal] JOSEPH PRICE, Clerk Ct. Ct. of Putnam county, Florida.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that J. B. D. Woodburn & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 146, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

N 1/2 of sec 1, NW 1/4 of sec 1, NW 1/4 of sec 1, section 3, township 9, range 26—168 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1902.

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Notice to City Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the City of Palatka, Florida, for the year of 1902, will be open for the collection of taxes thereon, on the 2nd day of October, 1902. On all taxes upon a Roll remaining due and unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1903, the same will be charged from the date of the publication of this notice at the rate of Twelve (12) per cent per annum, and said interest added to the tax and collected.

J. N. PLACKWELL, City Tax Collector

### Married,

near Cornwall,

MISS JANE WEEKS

to

MR. THOMAS DAY.

A Day is gained,

A Week is lost

But time cannot complain;

For soon there will

Be Days enough

To make a week again.

If you have any property

of value which is not

insured it a WEEK, in fact

do not lose a DAY with-

out insuring with

G. Loper Bailey & Co.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

TO THE SHERRIFF OF PUTNAM COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

Be it known, that I, H. CLAY CRAWFORD, Secretary of "State of Florida," do hereby give notice that a

General Election

will be held in Putnam County, State of Florida, on Tuesday next—reading the first Monday in November, A. D. 1902, the said Tuesday being the

Fourth Day of November,

For one Representative of the Second Congressional District of Florida, in the Fifty-eighth Congress of the United States.

For Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

For one Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Florida.

For two Justices of the Circuit Court of the State of Florida.

For two Members of the House of Representatives of the State of Florida.

For Tax Assessor.

For County Treasurer.

For five County Commissioners.

### OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

PRAYED AT A DANCE—

A strange woman appeared on the floor at the dancing pavilion at Rock Springs park, East Liverpool, Ohio, during an intermission between dances one night last week. She proceeded to the center of the floor, knelt down and raised her hands, prayed fervently. The crowd stood in perfect silence until she had finished and crept away. The dance then resumed. The praying woman was in a wicker chair, but it was discovered she could not be taken up the narrow stairs leading to the court room. She is 5 feet 5 inches high and weighs 430 pounds.

WOMAN PRISONER TOO FAT—

Because a prisoner is too fat to get through the court room door, United States Commissioner Dudley Lindsay of Owensboro, Ky., has telegraphed to Washington for permission to hold court in the open air. The prisoner is Jane Woolsey of Litchfield, arrested for making moonshine whisky. She was hauled to the city in a wagon, but it was discovered she could not be taken up the narrow stairs leading to the court room. She is 5 feet 5 inches high and weighs 430 pounds.

BABY MISTAKEN FOR A TARGET—

A tragedy stopped the target practice of Co. F, First Regiment, Minnesota national guard, at Columbia Bridge, Johnstown, Pa., Sunday afternoon. A baby, 3 years old, who lived near the bridge, was playing in dangerous proximity to the line of fire and after having been put off the range several times, stole to a point about 15 yards to the right of the target. Captain P. A. Walton was testing a rifle when he saw what appeared to be a sheet of paper flopping from a bush near the target. He fired at it, and the next instant the boy sprang up and sank back dying, only 50 yards from Capt. Walton.

LATEST SWINDLING GAME—

Henry Peterson, a farmer residing a short distance north of Verona, Wis., purchased from an agent a tin rooster which was guaranteed to turn red six hours before each and every storm, thus giving him plenty of time to prepare for the blow. The storm came and went, but the rooster did not change color and Peterson started an investigation into the matter. He found the rooster was a tin one and the agent had given him the device. He found the check at the village bank. It had accomplished what the rooster failed to do. It had turned to \$300.

FULFILLED HIS BOAST—

When John Dunfee, now a millionaire contractor, was a ragged boy, black 40 years ago, he sat down on the steps of the Pike block, Syracuse, N. Y., to eat lunch. The janitor emptied a pail of dirty water on him from an upper window. "I'll own this block some day," said the lad, "and I'll fire you." A few days later Dunfee bought the block from Henry Duguid and now it is his own. It is in the center of the business district and is valued at \$225,000. The objectionable janitor is still in the block now. "If he was," said Dunfee, "I would keep my promise and fire him quick."

LEFT FORTUNE TO SWEETHEART—

Miss Maria Hall, of Los Angeles, Cal., is en route to Indianapolis to claim the fortune left her by Vernon Halders, a young society man of that place who recently died. He stated on his death bed that he had provided \$18,000 for the miss. It seems that he loved her since childhood, but never told her of his affections. She had not seen him for two years. Recently he came to California to declare his love, but, lacking the courage to do so, he returned to Indiana to die.

Miss Hall said: "I had no idea of his love, and the news of it came as a surprise."

It is said that with the money she will take a course at Vassar. She is 18 years old and very attractive.

FINED FOR CHEWING GUM—

Judge Sidener, of the city hall police court, St. Louis, handed down a novel decision when he fined Mary Anderson, a witness in a disturbance case, for contempt of court because she chewed gum in the court room. When the judge took his seat on the bench the first face to attract his attention was that of Miss Anderson actively engaged in masticating a large lump of gum. Summoning his bailiff he said word to the young woman to cease chewing gum in the court room. Miss Anderson blushed, stammered acquiescence and put the gum beneath her chair. For 30 minutes she obeyed, but when the case in which she was interested came to trial she could no longer resist. She was brought before the bar, severely lectured and fined \$10.

TREKED BY HUNGRY SHARKS—

The tug Pennoyer has brought into Biloxi, Miss., a Norwegian, named Oscar, who was rescued from a boat capsized on a voyage to New York. He was a boarding house keeper and used to carry passengers from Biloxi to Ship Island. The captain of the Pennoyer sighted a man clinging desperately to the top of a sunken vessel and shrieking for assistance. It was Oscar. He had been clinging to the masthead for a day and was exhausted.

When the tug sank the masthead was several feet out of the water. Being an expert swimmer, Oscar was preparing to swim for the shore when he saw that a school of sharks had gathered around and were apparently waiting for him. He declared that there were at least a hundred of them, and that they jumped out of the water trying to catch him.

WASN'T ALL HAYSTACK—

When three Willie Point soldiers came to their senses on the roadway near Bayside and found the card of James J. Corbett pinned to their coats, they realized they had been up against the real thing.

Corbett lives in retirement on a small farm in Bayside and spends much of his time in his garden. He was driving along the road clad in blue jeans and an old farmer's hat.

He noticed three soldiers coming toward him, but paid no attention to them. When the soldiers came up to the supposed farmer they made insulting remarks.

Corbett heard, alighted and tied his horse to a tree by the road side and went up the road after the soldiers. He overtook them before they had gone far and asked why they had used such language to him. For answer one of the soldiers struck him in the face.

Corbett squared off and knocked the soldier down. Then the others started in to thrash the pugilist. He struck out with his right and the second and then the third soldier measured his length on the road. Then Corbett pinned one of his cards on each of their coats and went away.

DYNAMITED BY A DOG—

George Meechou, of Seale Siding, Pa., owned a dog suffering with the mange. In order to dispose of the animal he took it to the woods and attached two sticks of dynamite and a long fuse to its neck, lit the fuse and returned to a place of safety. He forgot to tie the dog, and the animal ran after its master to his residence. Meechou saw the animal coming, and knowing that an explosion was liable to occur at any moment, quickened his pace, with the dog close at his heels. He was successful in reaching the house in safety and closed the door. The dog, badly frightened by the sizzling fuse, took refuge under the shanty. Immediately a terrific explosion occurred and the building, with its contents and dog, was blown to atoms. None of the family, who were in the house, were injured.

GIANT DUG UP IN OHIO—

The skeleton of a prehistoric giant was exhumed near Bowling Green, Ohio, recently by a colored laborer, who, terrified by his find, ran breathless to the nearest farmhouse and notified the neighborhood. A large crowd gathered and viewed the peculiar remains and the huge bones now lie at the home of Charles Witter, where people go constantly to see them. The skeleton, when pinned together as it was in life, measures nearly 9 feet in length. The skull measured almost 12 inches in diameter and there are two distinct rows of teeth in the massive jaw. The bones are well preserved, with the exception of the pelvic bones which are considerably decayed. The bones were at first thought to be the remains of some giant Indian, but the shape of the head is not the shape of the skull peculiar to the Indians and the age in which the man lived is still in doubt.

REAL WIFE STOPPED YANKEE GIRL'S FUN—

A pretty American art student, Miss Margaret Wells, aged 20, is in jail in Paris.

When the commissary of police in the Latin Quarter, accompanied by a woman, went to the Odéon theater and asked to be admitted to his regular box, the chief usher took him aside, saying: "I warn you that you will have an unpleasant scene because your wife already occupies the box with three friends."

The commissary of police protested vehemently: "This is my wife." Miss Wells, who occupied the box, was called into the lobby to explain. She indignantly declared that she had noticed that the commissary had never occupied the box, so she presented herself frequently saying: "I am the wife of the commissary; show me our box." In that way, she admitted, she had cheaply made return for all the theatrical entertainments, dinners, socials and courtesies tendered by her friends.

ONLY A NEBRASKA ZEPHYRUS—

Miss Mary Karous, a pretty Omaha girl, has made a new departure in the way of a parachute jump.

She was returning home from a picnic, and as the train which carried the excursionists left Ashland Miss Karous attempted to pass into another coach in order to say good-bye to some friends. Just as she reached the platform a small hurricane swept between the cars, and sweeping beneath her skirts made a parachute of them and lifted the young woman bodily from the platform high into the air—higher, even, than the top of the coaches.

There the horrified passengers saw her suspended in the air and tossed about by the wind as the train dashed on. Her friends hastened through the coaches to find the conductor in order to have the train stopped, but were unable to locate him until they had nearly reached the next station; three miles up the road.

There a telegram was sent back to Ashland and the crew of a freight train following notified to watch out for her. She was found in a corn field, where the wind had gently dropped her without injury.

DEVoured BY WORMS.

Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The entire trouble arises from indigestion, their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once, very much to the surprise and joy of the mother. 25c at Ackerman & Stewart's, Palatka, and Lounds' drug store, Crescent City.

General Tyree H. Bell, one of Florida's brave commanders during the Civil War, died Saturday night at the New Orleans sanitarium, aged eighty-seven years. He has been living with his children in California, and has been attending Confederate reunions, besides visiting his old home in Tennessee. He was on his way home, and was found helpless and unconscious at the Southern Pacific depot a few days ago.

### GOINGS ON IN FLORIDA.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Jacksonville is to be rebuilt on plans furnished by architect J. H. W. Hawkins. Bids were opened last week.

There have been several burglaries at Brantford lately, and the body of a dead negro, supposed to be one of the burglars, has been fished out of the river.

Frank Herd a well-known citizen of Daytona committed suicide last week by firing a 38 caliber revolver into his month.

Justice of the Peace Chief of Brooksville has fined a number of prominent citizens of that town four dollars and eighty-five cents each for shooting bullbats.

Wm. J. Mourey, a prominent young man of St. Augustine is dead of consumption. He was attacked and severely cut with knives by some negroes when a little boy, and dated the decline of his health from that attack.

The ice famine at Key West has been broken by the arrival of a three masted schooner from Bath, Me., with a cargo of 900 tons. This natural ice is sold at 75 cents per 100 pounds.

While riding out of Chipley on a turpentine wagon the other day, the little son of Duncan Harris was told by the wagon hitting a stump, and fell out, a barrel of flour falling on him and killing him instantly.

Chief Justice Taylor of the Supreme court has been resting at his old home in Alachua county, and yet there seems to be plenty of rest for member of the Supreme court in Tallahassee.

A. B. Cox, who was a fireman at the Gainesville water works, and Claude Sanderson, son of another fireman employed at the same place were drowned in a small pond near the water works last Sunday afternoon. There were no witnesses to the drowning, but from the position of the bodies when found, it is supposed that young Sanderson dived into the pond and was injured by striking something or was seized with cramp, when Cox went to his assistance and was clinched by Sanderson and unable to save either himself or Sanderson.

Miss Clem Hampton, popular teacher of Gainesville, accidentally fell down a staircase at James Dog's residence in that city last Monday, striking the back of her head and seriously injuring her spine. Miss Hampton had just returned from Starke where she was engaged in teaching at the Summer Normal school.

L. B. Lewis one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of Levy county, and his estimable wife were found murdered about 8 o'clock Friday night of last week. The tragedy occurred at their residence, five miles south of Bronson and was not known until Saturday morning. They had returned from their son's residence a short distance away, and Mr. Lewis was preparing to retire when two loads of large shot ended his life. From indications at the scene of the murder the morning Mrs. Lewis was nearly writing when her husband was shot, and when she rushed to his assistance, a ball was fired from a rifle, penetrating her mouth. This, it seems, did not prove fatal, and she managed to reach his side, when a load of shot was fired, which ended her life, and she fell across his lifeless form, and it was in this position they were found. It was learned that effort had been made to rob Mr. Lewis's safe during his absence, which proved futile, and it is believed that fear of detection caused the fiends to commit the awful crime. The belief is that the murder was committed by two parties, and the general impression is that they are white men, who are acquainted with the premises and know of his wealth. S. J. Wilkinson and J. M. Martin were arrested on Monday on suspicion, and are in jail at Bronson. It is thought that the mob will attempt to lynch them, and the sheriff is taking every precaution.

Manny Price, the murderer of W. F. Brunson, together with another negro named Bob Seruggs, were lynched about two miles from Newberry, Alachua county, shortly after 5:30 o'clock Monday afternoon by a party of about three hundred men. The negroes were being taken from Newberry to Gainesville by special deputies, and the party overpowered them and took the prisoners away. They were given a chance to confess, which they did, and then strung up on a tree, and their bodies riddled with bullets. Manny Price, who was well known to the police in many parts of Florida, was arrested in Volusia, Fla., a day or two ago for the brutal murder of W. F. Brunson, the superintendent at the Buttonnback mines, near Newberry. Brunson was shot from ambush. A deputy brought Price to Newberry Monday, and he was taken before Justice Farley, and upon examination, confessed that he had killed the superintendent. In his statement he implicated Bob Seruggs, who had been serving a sentence at the camp for carrying concealed deadly weapons. At 5:30 o'clock Special Deputy C. E. Melver started to take the murderers to Gainesville, and had proceeded about two miles on the way when he was halted by a crowd of about three hundred men. The deputy and his men resisted the crowd as long as possible, but the numbers and determination of the other side soon won the day, and the two negroes were forcibly taken away and carried to a convenient tree. Here they were told to confess their crime, and this they promptly did. After this they were told to pray. A few minutes later their bodies hung pendant from the limbs of the tree, and a shower of bullets made certain of the work of the lynchers. The murder of Brunson was brutal and uncalled for. He was the superintendent of the Buttonnback mines, and had been called from his house at night to suppress some disorder. When returning to his house he was shot from ambush, within a few feet from the door. The tragedy occurred August 18, and since that time, up to a few days ago, posess have been in search of the murderers.

### THE PRESIDENT INJURED.

The drag containing President Roosevelt and party while ascending the hill to the Country Club at Pittsfield, Mass., yesterday was hit by an electric car which had become unmanageable. The horses attached to the President's carriage were killed. President Roosevelt escaped with a few bruises. Secretary Cortelyou was badly injured. D. J. Pratt, driver of the president's coach had his skull fractured. Secret Service Agent Craig was instantly killed. Gov. Crane of Massachusetts was slightly injured. The party was taken to Pittsfield in ambulances. The motorman and the conductor of the car have been arrested. The president will be obliged to discontinue his trip and nurse his face which is badly scratched.

### CONDENSED WORLD NEWS.

Four big Texas counties have declared for prohibition.

President Roosevelt has been making a big swing around the New England circles this week.

Congressman R. C. De Graffenreid, of Texas is dead. Gov. Sayers will call an election in November to fill the vacancy.

Major Generals Corbin, Young and Wood of the United States army are being entertained in Berlin by the German Kaiser.

Ardee Wilson, a negro of Sparta, Ill., has been ridden with bullets by a mob for an assault on a young white girl last Sunday.

John Brown, a negro who attempted to criminally assault a twelve year old white girl, was lynched at Monticello, Ga., last Sunday.

An Illinois evangelist advertises his services for camp meetings and revivals at \$50 per week, guaranteeing "40 conversions or no pay."

The propaganda at Rome has decided to recommend the Pope to appoint R. Rev. John M. Farley, D. D., Archbishop of New York in succession to the late Archbishop Corrigan.

While rounding a curve on a high embankment yesterday for the Monday an excursion train jumped the track and rolled down the incline, smashing the cars and killing 30 people.

Arkansas had a democratic election on Monday. Twenty-four of the 25 counties of the state are surely democratic, and the 25th, likely. The feature of the election was the extremely light vote.

The eruptions of Mt. Pelee have been constant since Aug. 15th. The worst occurred last Saturday when the village of Morne Rouge, near the district previously devastated was entirely destroyed and 200 lives were lost.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles with his wife left Washington yesterday for the Philippine Islands, where he goes to inspect the army. He is to sail from San Francisco on the transport Thomas which leaves on the 16th.

Ada Gray, celebrated actress, is dead at the Fordham Home for Incurables. She was buried by the Actors Fund of America, by whom she has been supported for the last seven years. She was 66 years of age.

President Palma of Cuba at a cabinet meeting last week read autograph letters from King George of Greece, Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, and the President of the Brazilian republic, recognizing the republic of Cuba.

The new battleship Maine, built by the Cramps, on her trial trip over the Cape Ann course last Saturday failed to attain the speed qualifications of her contract. The failure will cost the Cramps \$3,500, less than the cost of a new trial. The contract speed was to be 18 knots. The ship made 17.965 knots.

In the South Carolina primaries last week A. C. Latimer and Ex-Gov. John Gary Evans were the highest candidates for U. S. Senator, receiving 22,291 and 18,521 respectively. They will run over in a second primary. Capt. D. C. Heyward received 30,595 votes for governor, and M. F. Ansel stood next highest with 17,698 votes. They will run over in a second primary.

The Sultan of Binidayan, who was held as a